

Activities to create awareness for the upcoming Independence Day:

For Toddlers

Flag Craft with Paper & Sticking

Skills: Fine motor, hand–eye coordination, awareness of national symbols.

- Prepare cutouts of red rectangles and small yellow stars.
- Children paste the star onto the red rectangle to create the Vietnamese flag.

Flower Arranging for Celebration

Skills: Practical life, order, care of the environment, contributing to community.

- Provide small vases, water pitchers, and local flowers (such as chrysanthemums or lotuses).
- Toddlers arrange flowers to decorate the classroom for the Independence Day celebration.

Marching & Music with National Songs

Skills: Gross motor movement, rhythm, joyful community participation.

- Play simple patriotic songs (gentle instrumental versions if available).
- Toddlers can wave small flags and march in a circle.

For Casa

Vietnam Flag Art with Sewing or Pin-Punching

Skills: Fine motor, concentration, cultural appreciation.

- Children can pin-punch around the outline of the flag or do simple running stitches to create the yellow star.

Independence Day Story & Timeline

Skills: Language, history, cultural awareness.

- Share a simple story about Vietnam’s Independence Day (age-appropriate, focusing on peace and freedom).
- Show a picture card timeline: Vietnam before, during the event, and today.
- Invite children to reflect on what “freedom” means (in simple terms like being able to learn, play, live together peacefully).

Traditional Food Practical Life

Skills: Practical life, independence, cultural appreciation through food.

- Introduce a simple food-preparation activity linked to Vietnam (e.g., wrapping banana leaves, preparing fruits such as dragon fruit or banana).
- Children can practice peeling, cutting soft fruits, or arranging food on a tray for sharing.